Applicant's Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally, and a Petition for Withdrawal of Holding of Abandonment.

Entry of this Amendment is earnestly requested, as it is believed (1) to place the entire application in condition for allowance, (2) not to raise any new issues or require further search, (3) to be directly responsive to the Final Office Action, and (4) to place the application in even better form for appeal, should such appeal be necessary.

Conclusion

Applicant believes the claims, as amended, are patentable over the prior art, and that this case is now in condition for allowance of all claims therein. Such action is thus respectfully requested. If the Examiner disagrees, or believes for any other reason that direct contact with Applicants' attorney would advance the prosecution of the case to finality, he is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number given below.

"Recognizing that Internet communications are not secured, I hereby authorize the PTO to communicate with me concerning any subject matter of this application by electronic mail. I understand that a copy of these communications will be made of record in the application file."

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